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Spread of cancer in the German Empire.

[Table showing the deaths from carcinoma per 100,000 inhabitants, prepared from the statistics published by the imperial health office at Berlin. Report of government counsellor. Dr. Wutzdorff.]

State or province.	1892.					1898.				
	On the whole.	Age—				On the whole.	Age—			
		1 year.	1 to 15 years.	15 to 60 years.	Over 60 years.		1 year.	1 to 15 years.	15 to 60 years.	Over 60 years.
East Prussia	46.2	11.4	4.9	46.3	206.2	50.6	3.2	1.6	52.6	227.2
West Prussia	40.5	.....	2.2	39.2	239.8	46.7	2.0	1.7	45.5	276.0
Berlin	80.8	2.6	2.3	75.9	594.1	101.7	2.6	4.7	86.9	746 3
Brandenburg	51.1	11.0	1.0	44.3	296.0	60.3	10.8	0.9	51.8	356.4
Pomerania	52.6	6.5	2.7	49.5	281.0	60.9	2.1	2.1	53.7	347.4
Posen	33.0	.....	0.6	35.7	187.0	41.1	1.6	2.1	40.9	249.2
Silesia	45.7	9.2	3.0	44.1	233.9	53.8	2.1	1.1	53.0	283.4
Saxony	54.6	6.3	2.1	49.7	324.5	62.8	4.8	1.8	57.8	375.2
Schleswig-Holstein	70.4	2.9	2.0	54.6	408.8	78.9	5.2	2.2	58.7	482.1
Hanover	54.1	3.0	1.1	49.4	303.5	56.1	2.8	1.1	49.1	332.8
Westphalia	41.9	3.6	1.0	43.4	292.7	45.7	5.1	1.9	46.6	335.3
Hessen-Nassau	49.2	.....	0.9	43.8	316.9	56.6	7.9	0.9	48.4	380.0
Rhine Province	43.5	1.3	2.2	42.4	285.1	51.2	5.4	1.4	46.5	359.4
Hohenzollern	60.6	.....	.....	35.2	424.3	47.3	.....	5.1	26.7	301.7
Bavaria right of Rhine	88.8	7.6	1.8	73.4	492.5	102.3	7.4	2.4	84.1	576.9
Bavaria left of Rhine	59.2	.....	2.4	49.8	446.0	73.3	4.6	2.6	62.7	545.5
Kingdom of Saxony	85.7	3.9	1.8	74.3	610.9	92.6	5.1	1.8	79.7	663.4
Würtemberg	71.1	1.9	2.1	61.6	420.2	95.6	3.7	1.3	84.5	549.1
Baden	89.4	2.3	1.5	69.3	588.3	105.2	8.5	2.8	82.9	675.4
Hessen	89.3	7.6	1.0	66.6	574.4	97.6	3.5	0.9	71.9	700.4
Brunswick	78 2	16.1	3.8	69.6	497.2	88.0	38.1	2.1	73.8	583.1
Sachsen-Meiningen	45.5	.....	1.3	40.2	300.8	64.4	.....	1.3	62.1	389.5
Sachsen-Altenburg	88.4	18.0	.....	75.7	566.4	71.8	.....	1.7	61.5	455.1
Sachsen-Koburg-Gotha	43.9	.....	3.0	47 3	188.6	43.3	48.4	1.4	36.8	239.1
Anhalt	78.8	21.8	1.1	60.5	565.5	80.5	.....	1.0	68.0	541.2
Schwarzburg-Sondershausen	70.2	.....	.....	55.9	426.6	64.2	87 4	11.4	57.5	284.7
Waldeck	36.3	.....	.....	19.1	302.2	58.6	.....	.....	60.4	302.2
Reuss	72.0	47.2	17.2	68.5	393.2	57.2	.....	4.2	58.9	339.1
Schaumburg-Lippe	46.3	.....	.....	37.6	264.0	37.9	.....	7.5	61.0	170.9
Lippe	72.3	24.2	2.0	53 2	560.7	57.9	24.2	.....	54.1	373.5
Lubeck	128.4	.....	.....	91.7	872.0	133.6	.....	7.6	104.6	817.1
Bremen	77.1	.....	.....	67.0	619.6	86.0	.....	4.8	75.3	662.1
Hamburg	85.6	.....	5.6	72.5	663.3	113 6	.....	1.0	94.3	899.6
Alsace Lorraine	69.2	2.6	1.5	52.9	381.6	80.5	11.9	3.0	58.2	463.6
In German Empire	59.6	4.6	1.8	54.2	379.5	70.6	5.5	1.8	61.9	493.4
Kingdom of Prussia	49.0	4.8	2.0	46.3	289.4	56.6	4.4	1.6	52 4	346.5
Kingdom of Bavaria	84 9	6.6	2.0	70.4	487.9	98.5	7.0	2.4	80.8	573.6

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

HONOLULU, H. I., *March 17, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to report the outgoing quarantine transactions at this station for the week ended March 15, 1902, as follows: Number of steamships inspected and passed, 2; number of sailing vessels inspected and passed, 6; 1 army transport passed on certificate of surgeon in charge with 979 persons aboard; number of cabin passengers inspected and passed, 41; number of steerage passengers detained and passed, 35; number of crew detained and passed, 144; number of pieces of baggage disinfected, 161; number of sailing vessels disinfected, 7.

Respectfully,

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